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Admiral W. S. Delaney  
Deputy Director  
Mutual Defense Assistance Control  
International Cooperation Administration  
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Admiral Delaney:

I was very pleased to receive the advance copy of the Eighth Battle Act Report which you sent to me early this month. This "Survey of East-West Trade in 1955," presented in unclassified form, will be particularly useful at this time in view of current Congressional and public interest in the Soviet economic offensive.

I was happy to hear of your satisfaction with CIA's intelligence support, and I have passed your note of appreciation to Dr. Gathen and his staff.

Sincerely,

SIGNED

Allen W. Dulles  
Director

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